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## RESPONSE TO THE RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT MAILED JULY 6, 2010

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This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 6, 2010. A petition for a one-month extension of time along with the corresponding fees are also being filed. If necessary, please consider this paragraph a request and authorization to withdraw any appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 from Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No. 50-1212/BRKP:022US.

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